

PROJECT 100-100000

1. DATE - TIME GROUP 19 August 66 20/0300Z		2. LOCATION Lockwood, Ohio	
3. SOURCE Civilian		10. CONCLUSION Aircraft(possible)	
4. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one			
5. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 3 minutes		11. BRIEF SUMMARY AND ANALYSIS Observers noted three lights that appeared to be attached to some type of solid object. The lights appeared to take on different shades of color as it passed overhead. The lights were bright white in the distance, but as they got closer they changed to reddish and bluish. It was compared to the lights on a low flying aircraft. It disappeared as would an aircraft into the horizon. The description is consistent with that of an aircraft observation.	
6. TYPE OF OBSERVATION Ground Visual			
7. COURSE WSW			
8. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			
9. PHYSICAL EVIDENCE <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No			

Ohio

19 Aug 66

FTD (TDETR) *hl*
Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio 45433
21 September 1966

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] Boulevard
Cleveland 4, Ohio 44130

Dear [REDACTED]

Reference your unidentified observation 19 August 1966.
The information which we have received is not sufficient
for evaluation. Request you complete the attached FTD
Form 164 and return it in the envelope provided.

We wish to thank you for reporting your observation to
the Air Force.

Sincerely,

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HECTOR QUINTANILLA, Jr, Major, USAF
Chief, Project Blue Book

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Cleveland 4, Ohio

44130

Enclosed are some notes concerning a UFO which we believe we sighted on the evening of Aug 19, 1966 at about 10:00PM flying at an angle of 30 degrees south of due west.

Condition of atmosphere: Very Clear
No breeze

Unusual characteristics: Lack of any audible engine noise;
Abrupt change in apparent direction;
Non-blinking lights, bluish white to reddish; (3)

Direction or flight characteristics: Similiar to airplan except for apparent directional or altitude change.

After the UFO dis appeared into the west we sighted ~~the~~² typical space satellite flying in an eastward direction.

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VFO
SIGHTING



APPROX PATH OF OBJECT

RT 87

GARRETT CENTER

1.95

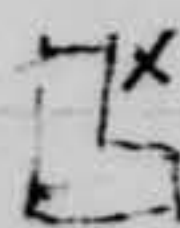
3/4 MILE

MOSQUITO LAKE
RESERVOIR PROPERTY

EST HT (IF SIZE OF
PASSENGER AIRPLANE)
2500'

VEL AT THAT HT.

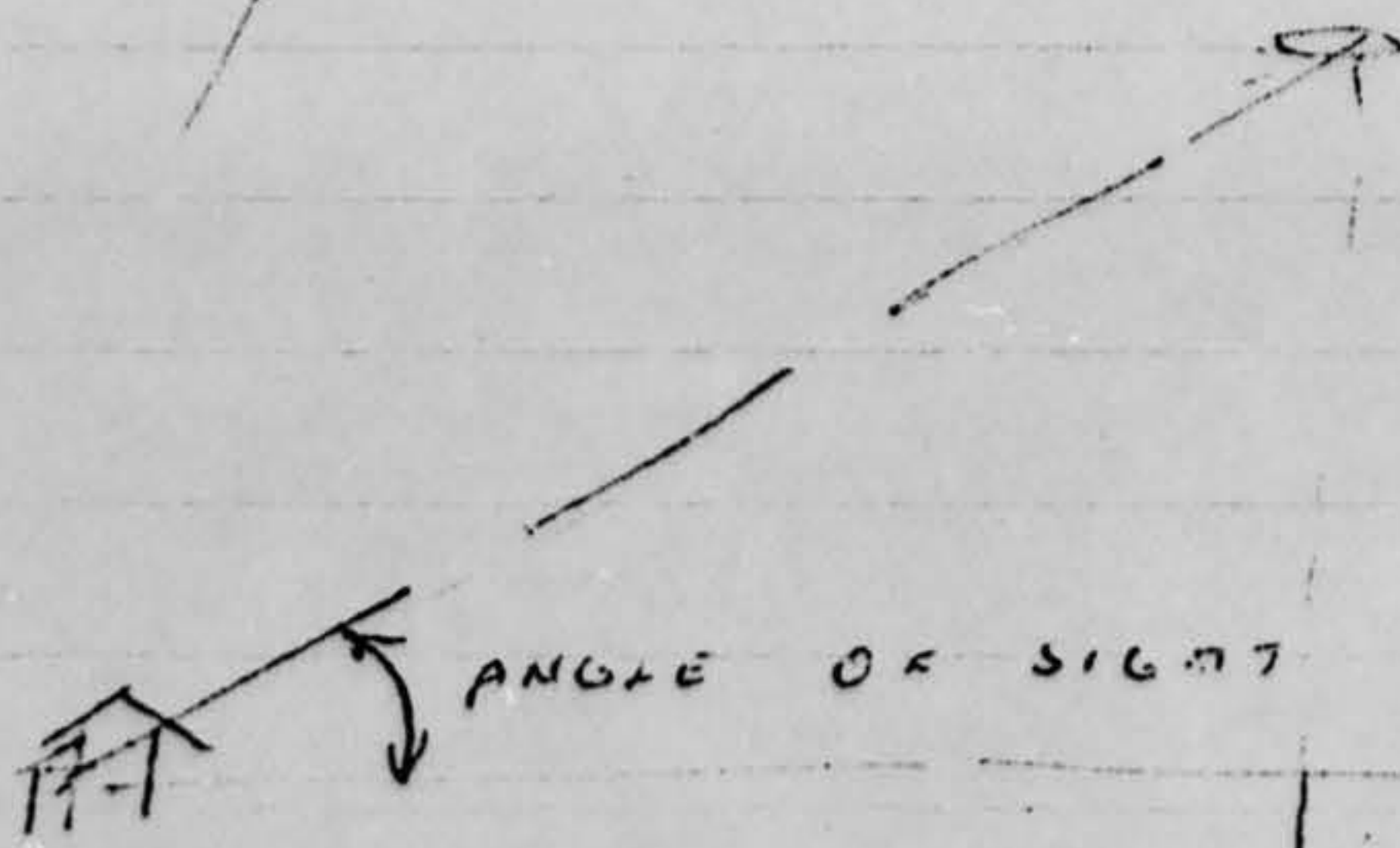
70-80 MPH - A FAST
AUTO COULD HAVE
KEPT UP WITH IT
FOLLOWING IT ON
GROUND.



POINT OF OBSERVATION

J. PALASICH'S FARM HOUSE

OBJECT MADE
ABRUPT TURNS



ANGLE OF SIGHT

JP

THREE LIGHTS VISIBLE
WHITISH BLUE TO RED,
NO FLICKER OF LIGHTS
NO SOUND OF ENGINES.

ABOUT A MINUTE AFTER
IT DISAPPEARED A ^{SPACE} SATELLITE WAS
SIGHTED GOING EASTWARD.

SIGHTERS

ONE ADULT MALE 43 YRS.

3 BOYS AGES 10 - 13 - 13

CONDITION OF SKY VERY CLEAR,

TIME APPROX 10 P.M.

DATE AUG. 19, 1966.

GREEN TWP.

FARM of J. PALASICS.

VERY SPARCELY SETTLED AREA.

APPEARANCE OF LARGE FIRE FLY THRU TREES.
SEEMED TO HAVE IRREGULAR PATH - THOUGHT
IT WAS FIREFLY IN WOODS. WHEN
IT ROSE ABOVE WOODS IN LINE OF
VISION - CALLED TO YOUNGSTERS -

THEY NOTICED AN ABRUPT TURN. - NO SOUND
OBSERVERS. AGREED ON ABOVE POINTS.

JR /

U.S. AIR FORCE TECHNICAL INFORMATION

This questionnaire has been prepared so that you can give the U.S. Air Force as much information as possible concerning the unidentified aerial phenomenon that you have observed. Please try to answer as many questions as you possibly can. The information that you give will be used for research purposes. Your name will not be used in connection with any statements, conclusions, or publications without your permission. We request this personal information so that if it is deemed necessary, we may contact you for further details.

1. When did you see the object?

19 AUG 1966
Day Month Year

2. Time of day: 10: 00
Hour Minutes

(Circle One): A.M. or P.M.

3. Time Zone:

(Circle One): a. Eastern
b. Central
c. Mountain
d. Pacific
e. Other _____

(Circle One): a. Daylight Saving
b. Standard

4. Where were you when you saw the object? ✓

OHIO GREENE CENTER TRUMBULL CO.
Nearest Postal Address City or Town State or County

5. How long was object in sight? (Total Duration)

3
Hours Minutes Seconds

a. Certain
b. Fairly certain

c. Not very sure 1 MIN
d. Just a guess

5.1 How was time in sight determined? ONLY ESTIMATE

5.2 Was object in sight continuously? Yes X No _____

6. What was the condition of the sky?

DAY
a. Bright
b. Cloudy

NIGHT
a. Bright
b. Cloudy

7. IF you saw the object during DAYLIGHT, where was the SUN located as you looked at the object?

(Circle One): a. In front of you
b. In back of you
c. To your right

d. To your left
e. Overhead
f. Don't remember

8. IF you saw the object at NIGHT, what did you notice concerning the STARS and MOON?

8.1 STARS (Circle One):

- a. None
- b. A few
- c. Many
- d. Don't remember

8.2 MOON (Circle One):

- a. Bright moonlight
- b. Dull moonlight (I-THINK)
- c. No moonlight - pitch dark
- d. Don't remember

9. What were the weather conditions at the time you saw the object?

CLOUDS (Circle One):

- a. Clear sky
- b. Hazy
- c. Scattered clouds
- d. Thick or heavy clouds

WEATHER (Circle One):

- a. Dry
- b. Fog, mist, or light rain
- c. Moderate or heavy rain
- d. Snow
- e. Don't remember

10. The object appeared: (Circle One):

- a. Solid
- b. Transparent
- c. Vapor
- d. As a light
- e. Don't remember

11. If it appeared as a light, was it brighter than the brightest stars? (Circle One):

- a. Brighter
- b. Dimmer
- c. About the same
- d. Don't know

11.1 Compare brightness to some common object:

LIGHTS ON LOW FLYING PASSENGER AIRPLANE EG. B-727

12. The edges of the object were:

- (Circle One):
- a. Fuzzy or blurred
 - b. Like a bright star
 - c. Sharply outlined
 - d. Don't remember

e. Other THE BRIGHTNESS OF
THE LIGHTS (3) OBSCURED
THE SHAPE OF THE OBJECT

13. Did the object:

(Circle One for each question)

- | | | | |
|---|------------|-----------|-------------------|
| a. Appear to stand still at any time? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| b. Suddenly speed up and rush away at any time? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| c. Break up into parts or explode? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| d. Give off smoke? | Yes | No | <u>Don't know</u> |
| e. Change brightness? | <u>Yes</u> | No | Don't know |
| f. Change shape? | Yes | No | <u>Don't know</u> |
| g. Flash or flicker? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |
| h. Disappear and reappear? | Yes | <u>No</u> | Don't know |

14. Did the object disappear while you were watching it? If so, how?

AS AN AIRPLANE INTO THE HORIZON

15. Did the object move behind something at any time, particularly a cloud?

(Circle One): Yes ☒ No ☐ Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what it moved behind:

16. Did the object move in front of something at any time, particularly a cloud?

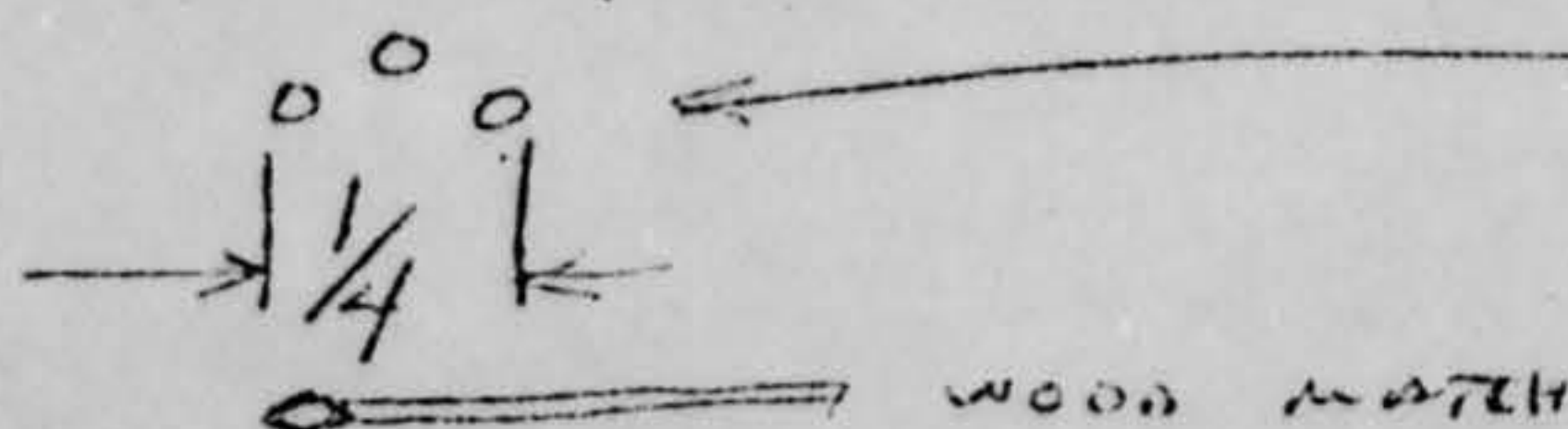
(Circle One): Yes ☒ No ☐ Don't Know. IF you answered YES, then tell what in front of:

17. Tell in a few words the following things about the object:

a. Sound NONE

b. Color DON'T KNOW. LIGHTS - BRIGHT WHITE IN DISTANCE
CHANGED TO REDDISH & BLuish
THERE WERE A NUMBER OF LIGHTS - 3 ~~SEPARATELY~~ VISIBLE

18. We wish to know the angular size. Hold a match stick at arm's length in line with a known object and note how much of the object is covered by the head of the match. (If you had performed this experiment at the time of the sighting, how much of the object would have been covered by the match head?)



19. Draw a picture that will show the shape of the object or objects. Label and include in your sketch any details of the object that you saw such as wings, protrusions, etc., and especially exhaust trails or vapor trails. Place an arrow beside the drawing to show the direction the object was moving.



LIGHTS ONLY ATTACHED N
TO A FIXED POSITION WITH
RELATION TO EACH OTHER.
VERY CLEAR & BRIGHT.



LIGHTS APPEARED TO TAKE ON DIFFERENT
SHADES OF COLOR AS IT PASSED.

20. Do you think you can estimate the speed of the object?

(Circle One) ☒ Yes ☐ No

IF you answered YES, then what speed would you estimate? 75 MPH

21. Do you think you can estimate how far away from you the object was?

(Circle One) ☒ Yes ☐ No

IF you answered YES, then how far away would you say it was? 2500 FT

22. Where were you located when you saw the object?

(Circle One):

- a. Inside a building
- b. In a car
- c. Outdoors
- d. In an airplane (type)
- e. At sea
- f. Other POORH OF HOUSE

23. Were you (Circle One)

- a. In the business section of a city?
- b. In the residential section of a city?
- ☒ c. In open countryside?
- d. Near an airfield?
- e. Flying over a city?
- f. Flying over open country?
- g. Other _____

24. IF you were MOVING IN AN AUTOMOBILE or other vehicle at the time, then complete the following questions:

24.1 What direction were you moving? (Circle One)

- | | | | |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| a. North | c. East | e. South | g. West |
| b. Northeast | d. Southeast | f. Southwest | h. Northwest |

24.2 How fast were you moving? _____ miles per hour.

24.3 Did you stop at any time while you were looking at the object?

(Circle One) ☐ Yes ☒ No

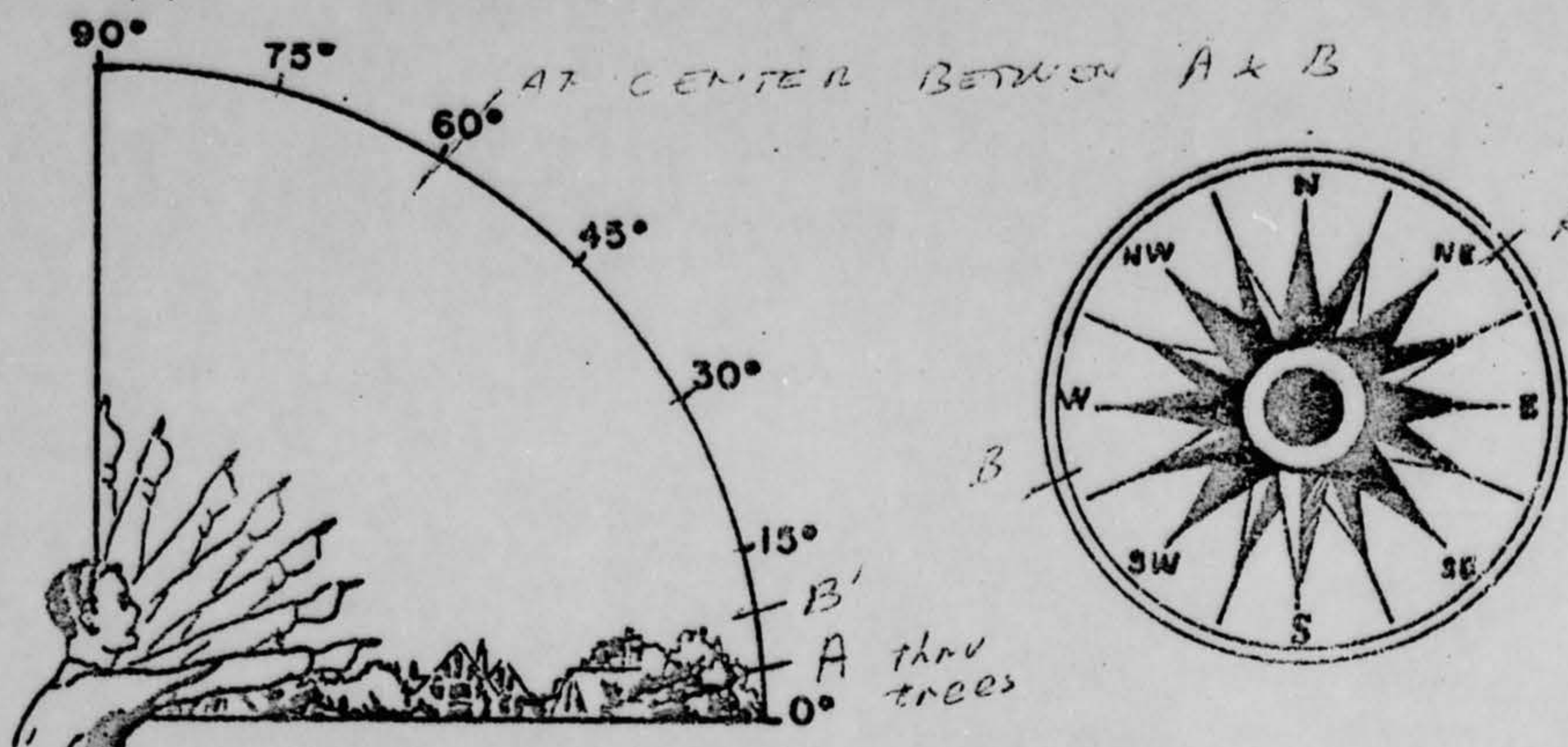
25. Did you observe the object through any of the following?

- | | | | | | |
|-----------------|-----|-------------------------------------|----------------|-----|-------------------------------------|
| a. Eyeglasses | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | e. Binoculars | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
| b. Sun glasses | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | f. Telescope | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
| c. Windshield | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | g. Theodolite | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No |
| d. Window glass | Yes | <input checked="" type="radio"/> No | h. Other _____ | | |

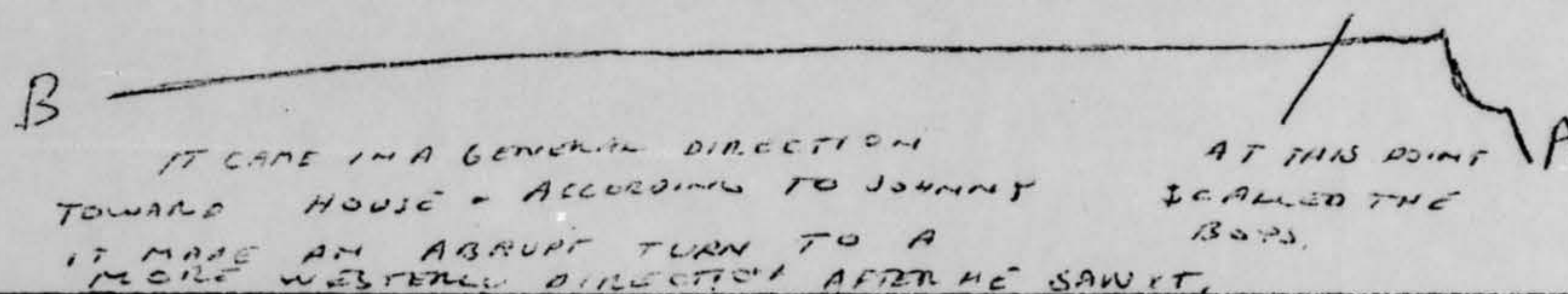
26. In order that you can give as clear a picture as possible of what you saw, describe in your own words a common object or objects which, when placed up in the sky, would give the same appearance as the object which you saw.

LIGHTS ONLY - IF IT WERE A PLANE
IT WOULD HAVE BEEN A LARGE PASSENGER
SIZE - SUCH AS A B-727

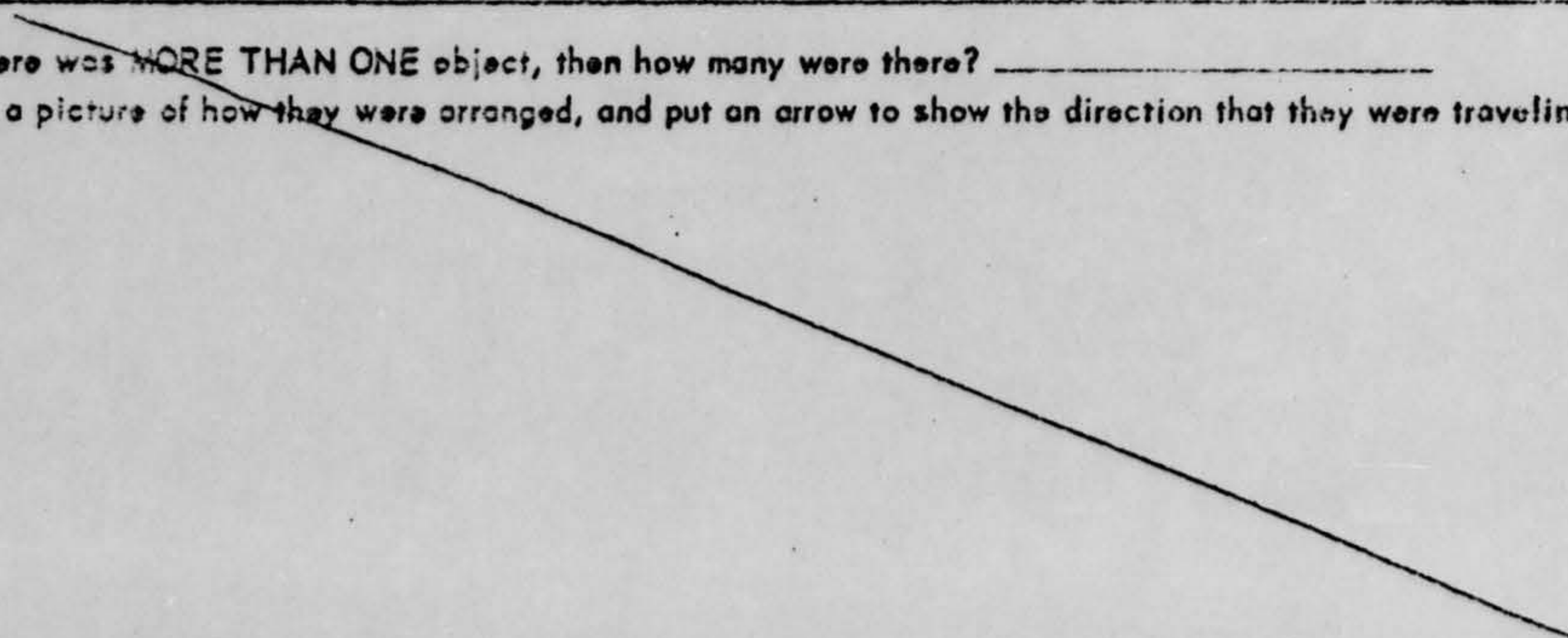
27. In the following sketch, imagine that you are at the point shown. Place an "A" on the curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you first saw it. Place a "B" on the same curved line to show how high the object was above the horizon (skyline) when you last saw it. Place an "A" on the compass when you first saw it. Place a "B" on the compass where you last saw the object.



28. Draw a picture that will show the motion that the object or objects made. Place an "A" at the beginning of the path, a "B" at the end of the path, and show any changes in direction during the course.



29. IF there was MORE THAN ONE object, then how many were there? _____
Draw a picture of how they were arranged, and put an arrow to show the direction that they were traveling.



30. Have you ever seen this, or a similar object before. If so give date or dates and location.

No

31. Was anyone else with you at the time you saw the object? (Circle One) ☒ Yes ☐ No

31.1 IF you answered YES, did they see the object too? (Circle One) ☒ Yes ☐ No

31.2 Please list their names and addresses:

AGE 13 SAME ([REDACTED])
 [REDACTED] SAME
 [REDACTED] 13 38217 [REDACTED] CLEVELAND

32. Please give the following information about yourself:

NAME [REDACTED] [REDACTED] [REDACTED]
 Last Name First Name Middle Name
 ADDRESS [REDACTED] CLEVELAND A OHIO
 Street City Zone State
 TELEPHONE NUMBER [REDACTED] AGE 43 SEX MALE

Indicate any additional information about yourself, including any special experience, which might be pertinent.

ENGINEER DEGREE BME 1944
 AIRCRAFT RESEARCH WORK 5 YRS
 OTHER MECH 11 " 9 YRS

I HAVE A HABIT OF OBSERVING CLOUD
 & ATMOSPHERIC CONDITIONS. MY SONS LIKE
 TO OBSERVE THE SKY AT NIGHT & STUDY STARBODIES

33. When and to whom did you report that you had seen the object?

#21 AUG 1966 TO WIFE
 Day Month Year

AT WORK TO SOME OF MY ASSOCIATES, LATER IN AUGUST

34. Date you completed this questionnaire:

23 SEP 1966
Day Month Year

35. Information which you feel pertinent and which is not adequately covered in the specific points of the questionnaire or a narrative explanation of your sighting.

THE COUNTRYSIDE AT THE LOCATION OF
MY FARM IS VERY QUIET. THE STATE &
FED GOV. OWN MOST OF THE LAND, FOR
RESERVOIR OR WILDLIFE PURPOSES. I LISTENED
INTENTLY FOR SOUND - THERE WAS NONE. THE
THREE BOYS HAVE GOOD VISION & HEARING - I REPEATEDLY
ASKED THEM - DO YOU SEE ANYTHING? (OTHER THEN LIGHTS)
" " " " "NO" IT WAS
NEAR ENOUGH TO BE AUDIBLE.

WHEN I FIRST SPOTTED IT I THOUGHT IN WAS
A VERY BRIGHT FIREFLY IN THE TREES. WHEN THE
LINE OF VISION CLEARED THE TREES, I REALIZED THAT
THIS WAS SOMETHING UNUSUAL, IT WAS A SPECK OF
BRIGHT WHITE LIGHT. AS IT APPROACHED, THREE LIGHTS
WERE NOTICEABLE - WHITE - BLUE - RED OF VARIOUS
SHADES. THERE WERE NO FLICKERS NO NOISE AND
IN A DIRECTION I HADN'T NOTICED PLANES TO FLY
BEFORE.

AFTER IT PASSED OUT OF SIGHT WE KEPT
 SCANNING THE SKY - WE NOTICED A ^{SPACE} SATELLITE
 OVERHEAD GOING EASTWARD. ABOVE THE SIZE OF
 A PLANET. THIS WAS ABOUT 2-3 MIN AFTERWARD.

THE HOUSE HAS NO PHONE & THE
 NEIGHBORS WERE ASKED. UNUSUAL FEATURES:

- (1) APPARENT LOW ALTITUDE
- (2) " LOW SPEED
- (3) NO SOUND.
- (4) NON-FLICKERING LIGHTS
- (5) ABRUPT DIRECTIONAL CHANGE
- (6) OFF DIRECTION OF TYPICAL AIRCRAFT IN AREA.

OTHER:

I USED TO BE A SKEPTIC -
 MY STANDARD RETORT WAS -
"FUNNY - I NEVER SAW ONE."